

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 794

By Burks

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Whitney Phillips on being named Valedictorian at Monterey High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Whitney Phillips is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2012 graduating class at Monterey High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Whitney has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an impressive grade point average while providing mature leadership and an excellent example for her peers; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her impressive academic achievement, Ms. Phillips is a member of several clubs and organizations and has received many honors and accolades; and

WHEREAS, Whitney's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Whitney Phillips' dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Whitney Phillips, 2012 Valedictorian of

Monterey High School, congratulate her on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.